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5 assembles a packet that includes a target identifier and data to be sent to the target. The
packet is stored in a file in the client system. A messaging client forwards packets from
the file to a messaging server on a target server system. The messaging server dispatches
the information to a messaging handler to process the information. Thus, the application
generating the packet is not required to handle network communications related to the
10 packet and registration of a target application is not required.